

DATE: 12 May 1965

SR DIVISION AGENT CADRE PROGRAM

1. TRUE NAME: KURGVEL, Aleks
2. PSEUDONYM: GIORDANO, MARIO K.
3. CRYPTONYM:
4. DOB: 23 September 1904
5. POB: Kuressaare, Estonia
6. SEX: Male
7. MARITAL STATUS: Married
8. DEPENDENTS (Include age): 3

Salme	Wife	Age 56
Jaak	Son	Age 34
Rein	Son	Age 26
9. 201 NO: [] []
10. BRANCH: SR/O/PT
11. PROJECT: AESCREEN
12. AGENCY RELATIONSHIP: Contract Agent - 1951
Contract Employee 1953
13. AGENCY EOD: 5 September 1951
14. CLEARANCE (Date & Type): Type B
CSC January 1953
25 November 1960
15. CURRENT ASSIGNMENT (Date, Location, Duties):
Translator/Transcriber
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Washington, D.C.
16. NATIONAL ORIGIN: Estonia
17. CITIZENSHIP: US
18. IF U.S., NATURALIZATION DATE: Washington, D.C. 13 May 1958
19. ACADEMIC TRAINING & FIELD OF STUDY: War College
Gymnasium High School & Jr. College Courses for Intelligence Officer
Military Academy, Engineering Class
20. MILITARY SERVICE: 23 Years Served in Estonian, German & Finnish
Armed Forces
21. MAIN CIVILIAN OCCUPATIONS: Translator/Transcriber
22. SPECIAL SKILLS, AVOCATIONS:
23. LANGUAGES (N-Native, H-High, I-Intermediate, B-Basic):

	Native				High				Intermed.				Basic			
	S	R	W	U	S	R	W	U	S	R	W	U	S	R	W	U
Estonian	X	X	X													
Russian	X	X	X													
German					X	X	X									
French									X	X	X					
Finnish									X	X	X					
English									X	X	X					

24. AREA KNOWLEDGE (How acquired): Estonia - Residence Russia, Germany, Finland
Studying. Sweden - Residence. London, Riga, Latvia, France, Bruxelles,
Switzerland - Traveling. Tdy Amman. Two TD's Stockholm, Goeteborg.
25. OPERATIONAL EXPERIENCE: AGENCY TRAINING:
Agent Training (refresher) 1953; Teaching Methods; E & E; LEDZ, 1957
Refresher Course on American Cleandestine Operational Techniques.
26. OPS TRADECRAFT & TECHNICAL SKILLS:
27. POSSIBLE OPS USE (Spotter, PA for contact ops, etc.):
28. POSSIBLE WARTIME USE:
29. SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

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